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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1113

By Smith

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Katherine Elizabeth
Crye upon her graduation from Knoxville Central
High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Katherine Elizabeth Crye is one such exceptional student who is graduating from Knoxville Central High School this year with an outstanding 3.47 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, this young scholar has excelled in Advanced Placement courses in U.S.

History and Language and Composition and Honors courses in World History and Geography,

Chemistry, and English II; and

WHEREAS, a member of the National Society of High School Scholars, Ms. Crye has been accepted to Tennessee Technological University, the University of Tennessee, and Lipscomb University; and

WHEREAS, a young lady of diverse interests, she was voted "Most Talented" by her senior classmates and is a three-year veteran of musical theatre; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Crye has served as the editor of her school's newspaper, senior ambassador to the Student Government Association, and vice president of Bobcat Company; and

WHEREAS, a gifted musician and vocalist, she has played violin since the age of three and also plays piano and ukulele; although she often sings the National Anthem at school events, she was especially honored to perform the anthem at the CMA Festival in Nashville; and

WHEREAS, evidencing a social conscience at an early age, Ms. Crye has volunteered with Race for the Cure and Race Against Cancer and is active in Young Life; and

WHEREAS, her intellectual aptitude and work ethic as a scholar surely bode well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Crye's noteworthy achievements are a tremendous source of pride for her family and friends, and

WHEREAS, Katherine Elizabeth Crye is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate Katherine Elizabeth Crye upon her graduation from Knoxville Central High School and extend to her our best wishes for much continued success as a college student.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.